

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
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On Farm Water Management
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of farmers benefitted from the On Farm Water Management project under the National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA) till date, State/UT-wise;
- (b) the total amount of funds allocated for On Farm Water Management Project under NMSA for the year 2014-15, State/ UT-wise; and
- (c) the total number of small and marginal farmers benefitted under the Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojana (PMKSY) till date, State/UT-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

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(a): The State / UT-wise details regarding total number of farmers benefitted from the component "On Farm Water Management" under National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA) during 2014-15 is at Annexure-I.

(b): The State / UT-wise details regarding amount of funds released as central grant for micro irrigation under the component "On Farm Water Management" under National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA) during 2014-15 is at Annexure-II.

(c): The Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) consists of four components namely (i) Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme (ii) Har Khet ko Pani (iii) Per Drop More Crop and (iv) Watershed Development. The beneficiary under the component "Per Drop More Crop" is individual farmer and the State/UT-wise details regarding total number of small and marginal farmers benefitted under the component "Per Drop More Crop" of PMKSY during 2015-16 is at Annexure-III.

The remaining three components broadly focus on faster completion of ongoing major and medium irrigation projects, creation of new water resources, improvement in water management & distribution system, effective management of runoff water and improved soil & moisture conservation activities, creation of water harvesting structures etc. All the farmers including small and marginal farmers in the Project area of PMKSY are benefitted.